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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
REGISTRATION AND FULFILLMENT SERVICE
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE August 22nd 1974

FULL NAME PRUDLOW Patrick Emil
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)
ADDRESS N29 W27521 Peninsula Dr. Pewaukee Wisconsin
CITY PEWAUKEE STATE WISC. ZIP CODE 53072
AGE 29 (This is important and should be exact)
APPROXIMATE AGE _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)
RELIGION Catholic NATIONALITY _____
OCCUPATION Television Repair Man
EDUCATION _____
WEIGHT 155 COLOR White HEIGHT 5 ft- 9in.
COLOR OF HAIR Brown COLOR OF EYES Blue
OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS _____
MARRIED OR SINGLE ~~MARRIED~~ SINGLE CHILDREN _____
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)
WIFE'S NAME _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	OFFICE	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
<u>TROOP 87</u>	<u>PEWAUKEE</u>	<u>WI:</u>	<u>M.C.</u>	<u>4/74</u>	<u>8/13/74</u>
SPECIAL RECOGNITION <u>NONE</u>					

RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIDENTIAL FILE FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

CHARGED IN CRIMINAL COURT WITH 17 COUNTS OF
MORALS OFFENSES - 13 OF WHICH ARE FELONIES.

Signed H. H. Reardon
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

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POTAWATOMI AREA COUNCIL, INC.
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

August 14, 1974

Mr. Paul Ernst
National Council
Registration & Subscription Executive
North Brunswick, N. J. 08902

Dear Paul:

This letter is to follow up our phone conversation yesterday.

Enclosed is a part of the newspaper account of morals offenses
in which two our registered Scouters were charged.

The leaders are:

Jack Keating, Scoutmaster Troop 63
S55 W29593 Holiday Rd.
Waukesha, Wi. Ph. 547-4811
Age 42
Service Manager Kuettner Olds

Patrick P. Prudlow, Member of Committee Troop 87
N29 W27521 Peninsula Dr.
Pewaukee, Wis. Ph. 691-1862
Age 29
TV Service Man - Marshall TV, Milwaukee

Both of these men should be removed from our Scouting Program
at once.

Sincerely yours,

H. W. Peabody
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Scout Executive

HWP:mvr

cc C. Booker

SERVING BOYS IN WAUKESHA, DODGE, JEFFERSON, WALWORTH AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES

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W. W. ESTABROOK

men seized on morals charge

Daily News Wire Services

WAUKESHA, Wis. — Five men, including two Boy Scout leaders, have been arrested on morals charges for alleged attacks on a large number of young boys.

Waukesha District Atty. Richard McConnell said the arrests stemmed from an investigation of the suicide of a prominent Waukesha hospital administrator after a May scouting campout at his rural George home.

McConnell said a total of 61 charges were filed against the five men.

He said most of the alleged attacks took place at the bachelor home of Robert M. Jones, 61, a hospital administrator who died of carbon monoxide poisoning July 7, the day after a party at his home involving about 50 men and boys.

AN INVESTIGATION of the death, which authorities ruled was a suicide, led to the five arrests Tuesday.

The charges against the men included a variety of felonies and misdemeanors, including exhibiting obscene films to children, sexual perversion and taking indecent liberties with a child.

The boys involved ranged from 10 to 15 years old, McConnell said.

Some of the alleged attacks took place at a Boy Scout

campout at the home of Jones, a bachelor, May 17 to 19, McConnell said.

Those arrested were Jack Keating, 32, a Scout troop leader, of Gousses; and four Peewaukee men: Patrick Prudlow, 29, an assistant Scout troop leader; Fred Foley, 32; Dean Slater, 35, and Mark Podrats, 23.

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ON RICKERT Freeman Staff

Four Waukesha County men were charged in criminal court here today with a total of 52 moral offenses involving young boys, cases arising out of a John Doe hearing.

A fifth Waukesha county man is being sought on nine other morals charges.

They are:

Patrick P. Prudlow, 29, of N20-W27521 Peninsula Drive, Pewaukee, 17 counts, 13 of which are felonies punishable by a prison sentence.

Dean Slater, 35, of N30-W23525 Peterson Drive, Pewaukee, 17 counts, all of them felonies, all indecent behavior with a child.

Jack Keating, age unknown, S55-W29593 Holiday Road, town of

Genesee, 16 charges of contributing to the delinquency of children and indecent behavior with children.

Fred Fohey, 32, of N2233 Highway SS Pewaukee Town, one count of contributing to the delinquency of a child and one count of exposing a child to harmful materials (a stag film).

In announcing the end of the investigation into circumstances relating to the death of Robert M. Jones, Waukesha Memorial Hospital president, District Attorney Richard McConnell said late this morning if he had known before the death what he knows now, he would have charged Jones, also, with "contaminating little children."

Most of the incidents concerning the charges filed today occurred at

the Jones residence at S57-W28637 Saylesville Road in the town of Genesee.

Two of the men, Keating and Prudlow, were Boy Scout leaders, and some of the incidents occurred during Scout outings at the Jones residence during the last three years.

About Jones, the DA said he had known him as a "highly competent and respected hospital administrator, admired by his peers."

"But apparently he led two lives. Even his close friends and co-workers didn't know he was a homosexual. If he had done this only with other consenting male adults, I wouldn't even mention his name here.

"But it became necessary to men-

tion it because he was violating little children along with the others.

"I was personally shocked when I learned he was contaminating little children."

McConnell cleared the hospital and the Boy Scout organization of any blame for the behavior of the men. And he said none of the juveniles will be taken into court except to be referred to Juvenile Court and Social Services Department for psychiatric treatment as a result of what the adults did to them.

All of the cases called this morning were adjourned to allow lawyers to file motions. County Judge William Callow continued the bail amounts set earlier by Circuit Court Judge William G. Gramling. They range from \$5,000 to \$15,000.

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Ford With Transition Team Today

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Ford went to work a bit later than usual today — though a good bit earlier than most federal employees — and arranged another in a series of meetings with a special team helping smooth the transition from the Nixon administration.

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Ford Asks Help, Begins Getting It

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The Doe probe began after auth-
orities learned Jones threatened to
commit suicide the night of July 5
during an all-male party at his
home.

Three brothers aged 10, 14 and 15
were there, and spent part of the
time tending bar. McConnell ex-
plained today Jones argued with
Prudlow and Slater about them
taking the 10-year-old and 15-year-old
to their respective homes.

There was no criminal activity at
the Jones party that night, McCon-
nell said, but Jones "became very
upset" when he learned the boys
wanted to leave.

That's when he cleared the house
of all guests after threatening to kill
himself. His body was found the next
day in his car in his garage. The
coroner ruled it suicide by carbon
monoxide poisoning.

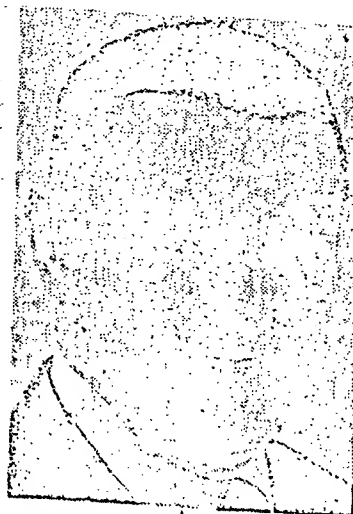
At a press conference after the
court session, McConnell went
through the cases one by one. He
said that, at his request, Judge
Gramling had closed the Doe probe
about 4 p.m. Monday after four more
witnesses were quizzed.

The DA stressed, however, that if
anyone has information about law
violations "by living persons," his of-
fice or the sheriff's office should be
contacted.

A total of 25 persons were ques-
tioned in four sessions, including one
held Saturday — without notice to
the press, he said. All those ques-
tioned Saturday are juveniles, he
explained. The Saturday session was
held to accommodate family vaca-
tion schedules, he said.

He and part of his staff worked the
rest of Saturday, all Sunday and all
Monday sifting through the evidence
to come up with what will total 61
charges against five men.

Details of how Jones and Keating
took indecent liberties with young
Boy Scouts in Jones' sauna bath
were brought out. They occurred at a
Scout campout at the Jones house
May 17-19 of this year.



McConnell: Would have charged
Jones

There is another count of taking
the same boy to other stag films
there and furnishing him with
brandy and sour. Connected with
that are charges of indecent acts.

Slater — He described himself in
court as being divorced, a resident of
this area for 30 years and who is a
manufacturers representative selling
equipment for schools with electrical
and electronics laboratories.

He faces 17 felony counts, all in-
decent behavior with a child, begin-
ning in August 1971 when he lived
with Jones. Slater told the judge he
lived with Jones from Aug. 1, 1971 to
September, 1972.

His offenses are indecent acts with
a boy, the DA claims. He also fur-
nished brandy and sour for a 16-year-
old boy he took to Fohey's house for
film showing homosexual activities,
McConnell charges.

Keating — An employee of Kuettnr
Oldsmobile in Waukesha, Keating
was Scoutmaster of Troop 63 at
Lawrence School when his offenses
occurred. At the same time, two of
his sons were in the same troop, Mc-
Connell said.

The 16 counts against him refer to